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For: SEMICONDUCTOR BASE AND ITS  
MANUFACTURING METHOD, AND  
SEMICONDUCTOR CRYSTAL  
MANUFACTURING METHOD

**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the further examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.